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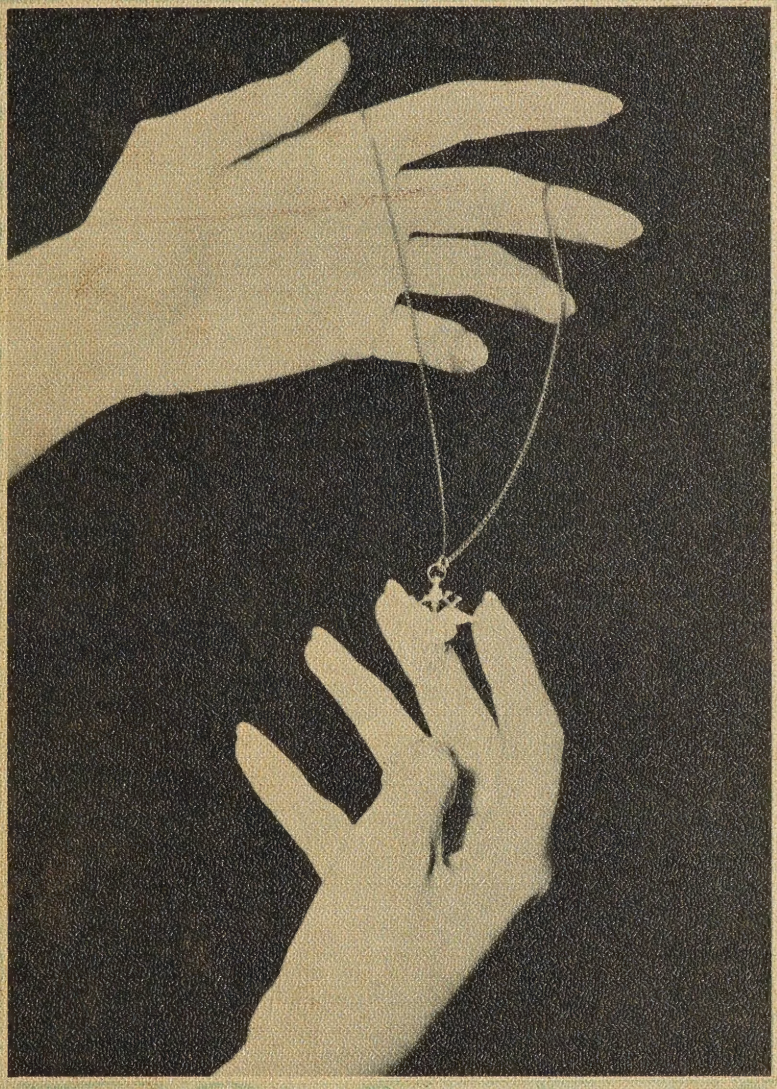

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New Orleans, Louisiana

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FOREWORD

Their touch
upon a troubled brow
Their skill
applied to tools of healing
Their art
that changes fear to trust
Their magic
that makes you a nurse...

DEDICATION

Because of her patient understanding, individual attention, sense of humor and her untiring effort to give us needed knowledge, we proudly dedicate this 1955 CAPS AND CAPES to SISTER GERTRUDE. Her treatment of humanity has been an inspiration to us and has gained our highest admiration. We hope we may follow in her footsteps.

SISTER GERTRUDE

CHARITY HOSPITAL OF LOUISIANA

HISTORICAL SKETCH

In the year 1736 "l'hospital des pauvres de la Charite" was established through the bequest of a sailor named Jean Louis. The structure, known as St. John's Hospital, is heralded as the original Charity Hospital of New Orleans and is one of the oldest hospitals in the United States. This building was replaced by a second hospital which was devastated by a hurricane in 1779 and rebuilt in 1786 by the great philanthropist, Don Almonastery Roxas, a Spanish nobleman.

An act of the legislature of the year 1813 may be considered the incorporation of the Charity Hospital as an institution of the State of Louisiana. During the years that followed, New Orleans grew rapidly and it was not long before a large and better equipped institution was needed. A new hospital referred to at the time "as a model of hospital architecture of the nineteenth century" was built during the years 1832-1833. To this new building came the Sisters of Charity at the invitation of the Board of Administrators, and they have been caring for the patients of the hospital by governmental authorization since 1834.

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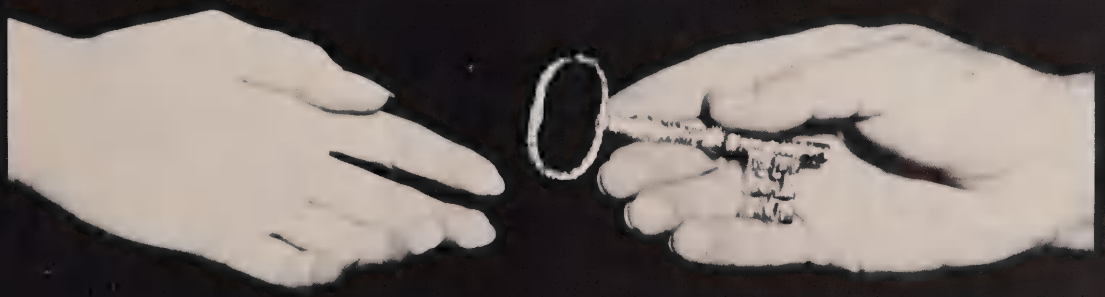

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To be a nurse is to walk with God,
  along the path that Our Master trod.
To sooth the aching of human pain,
  to faithfully serve for little gain.
To lovingly do the kindly deed,
  a cup of water to one in need.
A tender hand on a fevered brow,
  a word of cheer in the living now.
To reach the soul through its body's woe,
  oh, this is the path that Jesus would go.
Oh, white wrapped girls in service true,
  our Great Physician is working through you.

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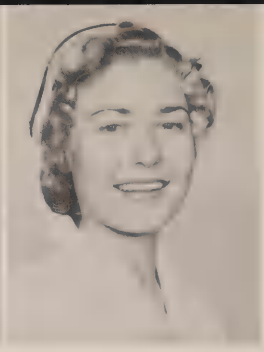

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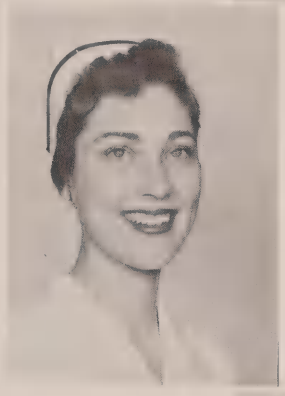

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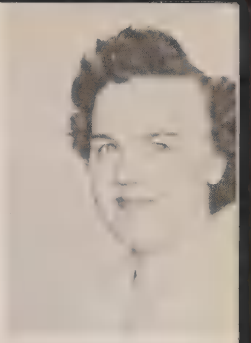

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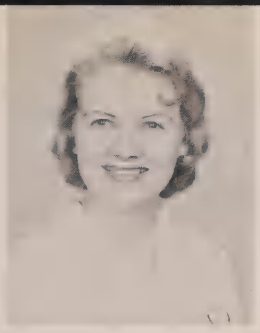

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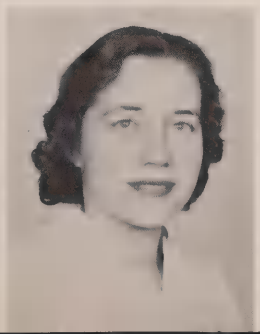

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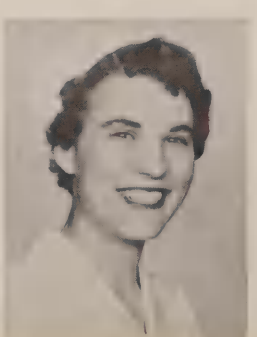

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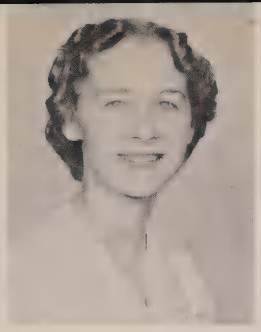

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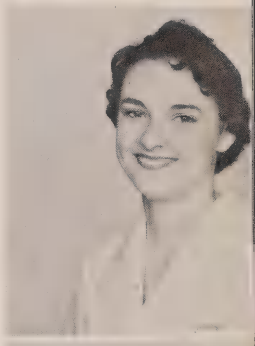

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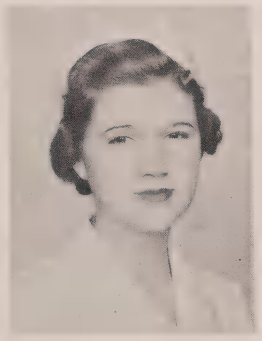

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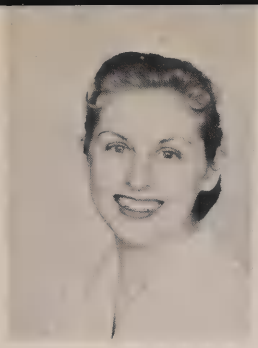

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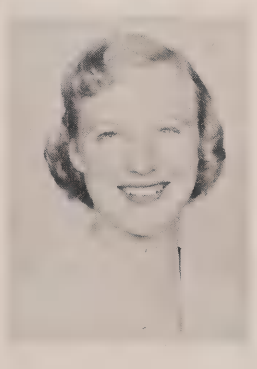


Claire Wistuba
Bradenton, Fla.

Sydney Wood
Welcome, La.

MEMBERS NOT PICTURED

Peggy Crosby
Juanita Dukes
Mary Hutchinson
Alice Lee Regan
Jean Shultz

CAPPING

Sister Pauline Capping Student Nurse

Capping - a word without meaning to many, but a word holding great significance for student nurses. Little do people realize the time and effort put forth in order to receive a cap.

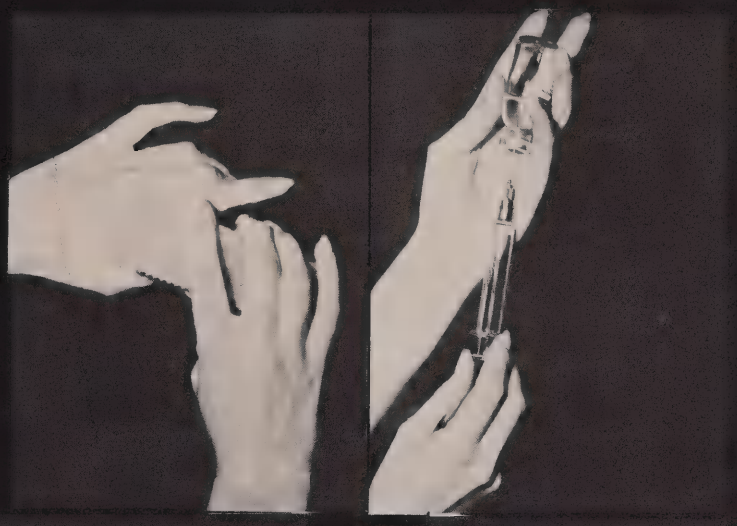
When the "crown of her profession" is placed upon her head, only then does a student nurse realize that she is stepping from the probationary period of a Pre-Clinical student to the professional position of a freshman nursing student.

With her cap, she also receives the Nightingale lamp and with her class repeats the Nightingale Pledge, the symbol of her profession:

"I solemnly pledge myself before God
and in the presence of this assembly:
to pass my life in purity and practice
my profession faithfully. . . "

Capping is a milestone in the training of student nurses. We want our friends and relatives to share its meaning with us.

HANDS AT



WORK

PC's in class

P

HAN

W

PC's on medicine

PC's on surgery

C.

S AT

RK

PC's in lab

A break - 6th floor lounge

Raising the Flag

Research on Survey

Diet Kitchen

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HAN

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Central Service

Operating Room Set-Up

OR

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Physical Therapy

Orthopedics

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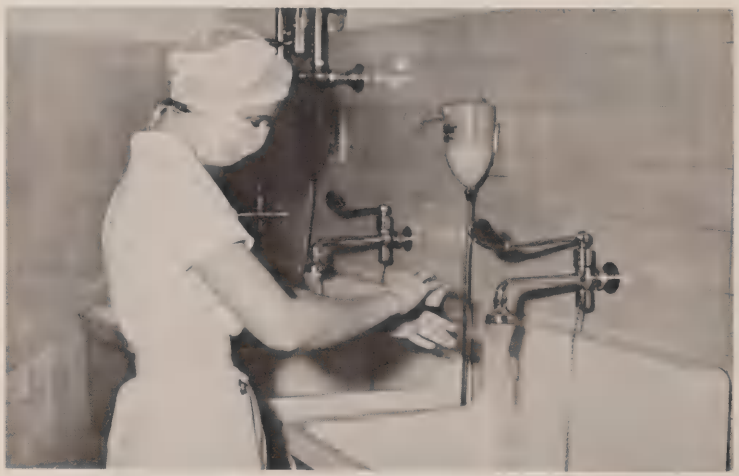
Recovery Room



"Scrubbing"

S AT

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Accident Room

E. E. N. T.

Psychiatry

Contagion

SE
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W

"Dibert" Tuberculosis

OR
S AT
RK

Obstetrics

Senior Table

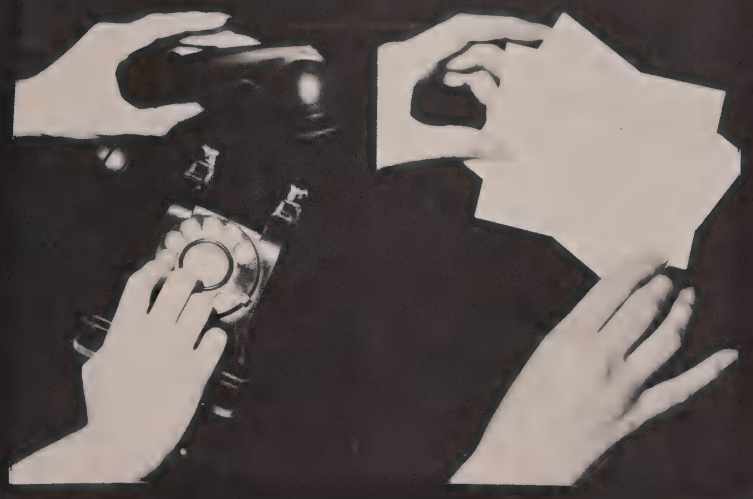
Senior Seminar

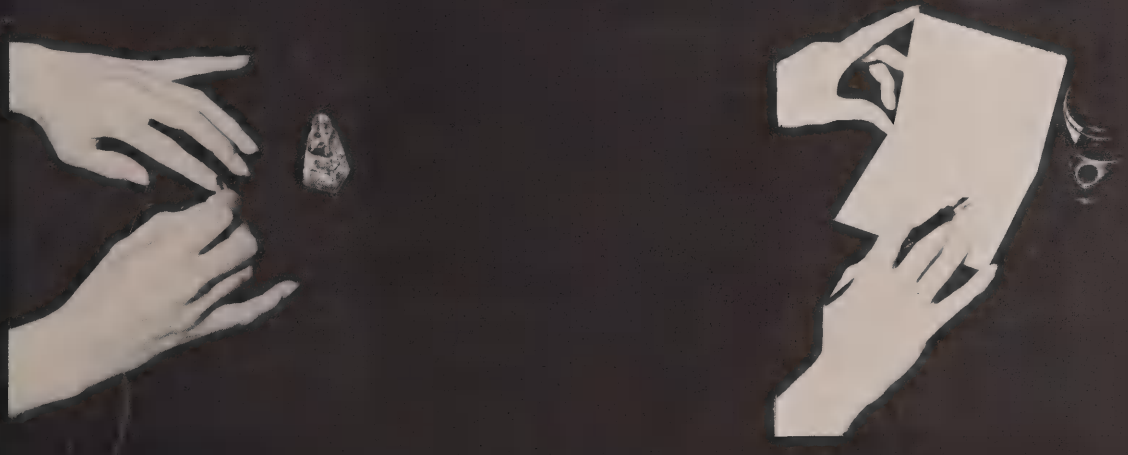
CHARITY HOSPITAL SCHOOL OF NURSING
SISTER STANISLAUS MEMORIAL

The Charity Hospital School of Nursing, a non-sectarian institution, was organized in 1894 by the Hospital Administrators and by the Sisters of Charity.

The present Nurses' Home has borne the name of Sister Stanislaus Hall since 1950. It was dedicated to the memory of Sister Stanislaus who was an "Angel of Mercy" at Charity Hospital in the true sense of the title. The building, fourteen stories high, was erected in 1939 and is considered one of the most beautiful in the State.

HANDS AT PLAY





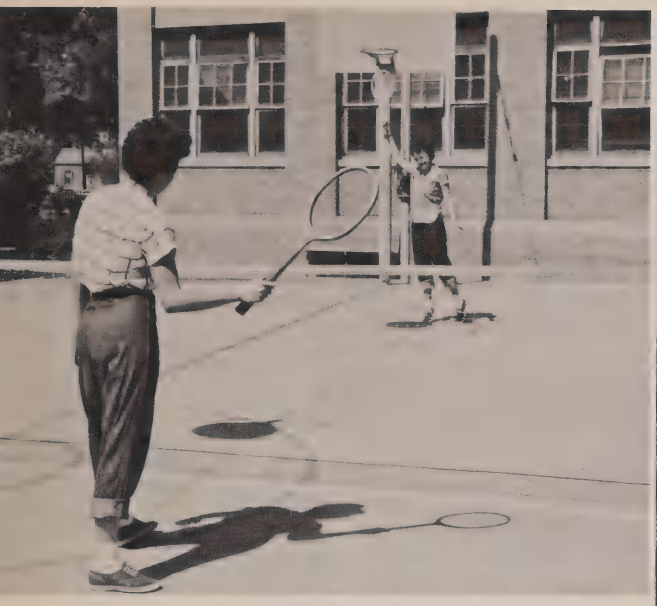
Playing Cards

Shopping

HANDS FOR

School Picnics

Watching Television



Playing Tennis

Listening to Records

DIVERSION

Group Singing

Bike Riding

Day Dreaming

Gab Session

HANDS AT LEISURE

Sleeping

Reading

The Call

HANDS ARE PREPARING

The Dress

The Date

The Hair

Sick Call

Sun Porch

HANDS
REME

Lunch Line

Collecting Souvenirs

Congratulations are in order

WILL
MBER

Winter Formal

Signing Out

Party Time

Ironing

Washing

HANDS ARE DOMESTIC

Cleaning

Cooking

MRS. EDNA SHERWOOD
Receptionist

HELPFUL HANDS

MRS. RAE and MRS. SWANSON
Housekeepers

MRS. AIMIE MULDREY
Supervisor of Residence

MRS. MAUD EDLER
Hostess

MRS. CHARLOTTE MILLER
Hostess

MRS. NORA BORIE
Switchboard Operator

Elevator Operator

HELPFUL HANDS

Night Watchman

BEAUTIES

MISS QUIN REDWINE - QUEEN

MISS LEE REGEAN - HONOR MAID

MISS CAROLYN HAYS - SENIOR MAID

MRS. KATHLEEN McDUFFIE - SENIOR MAID

MISS FRANCIS DUPRE - JUNIOR MAID

MISS NANCY DUNN - JUNIOR MAID

MISS JOY DIXON - PRE-CLINICAL MAID

MISS ROSETTA ANZALONE - PRE-CLINICAL MAID

"THE BEAUTY COURT-1955"

Presentation of flowers by Miss Anita Canter, Mistress of Ceremonies, to the Beauty Queen, Miss Quin Redwine, who was escorted by Dr. John Winkler.

FAVORITES

MISS BARBARA MINGA
"CHARITY'S SWEETHEART and MOST POPULAR"

MISS ANITA CANTER
"BEST ALL AROUND and MOST DEPENDABLE"

MISS LOIS HELD
"MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED"

MISS PENNY MARTIN
"MOST PROFESSIONAL"

MISS VIRGINIA VANDERDRAY
"BEST SCHOLAR"

MRS. KATHY McDUFFIE
"CUTEST"

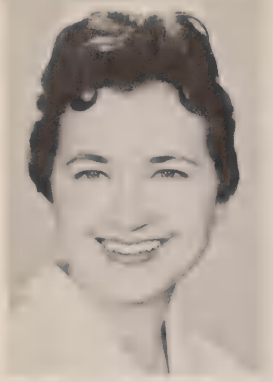
MISS GLORIA GARNER
"BEST DRESSED"

MISS MARLENE SMITH
"WITTIEST"

MISS MARGARET CHUTZ
"BEST ATHLETE"

MISS JERRI NICHOLS
"MOST TALENTED"

ORGANIZATIONS



Barbara Minga
President

Shirley Payne
Vice-President

Nancy Daniel
Secretary

Sandra Owens
Treasurer

STUDENT COUNCIL

Charity's student goverment, known as Student Council, is composed of duly elected officers and representatives from each class including affiliate classes. This privilege is granted and encouraged by the School Administration. Through Council the students are allowed to share in the formulation and enforcement of rules and regulations. All students have the right to express their opinions and offer any suggestions for the betterment of their student body. Through Council these suggestions are presented to the Administration, by whom they are justly considered.

Weekly meetings are held by Council for considering infraction of regulations with which students are charged and penalized. As members of the student body themselves, they have a greater insight of the students' problems and thus are able to judge their actions accordingly.

The 1954-55 Student Council Representatives are as follows:

Senior: Margaret Chutz
Sylvia O'Neal
Carolyn Vlaming

Junior: Jane Wilson
Elizabeth Remuth
Tonie Thompson

Pre-Clinical: Virginia Vanderdray
Margie Zernott
Penny Martin

Affiliate: Joyce Herrington
Clara Bradshaw

Sponsor
Miss Stella O'Connor

STUDENT COUNCIL

STUDENT COUNCIL MEMBERS
Not Pictured: Sandra Owens and Joyce Herrington

EXTRACURRICULAR ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

To plan and coordinate all student activities of the school year through the combined meetings of the heads of all student organizations is the purpose of the Extracurricular Activities Committee.

Sister Pauline, Director, Miss O'Connor, Student Adviser, and Mrs. Hendershott, Social Director, functioned as vital sources of information and consultation in setting up our "Calendar for 1954-55".

The Committee was formed at the suggestion of Miss O'Connor in order to bring individual as well as group interests into a pattern which would fit the time element as well as the budget.

The Committee, with Miss Barbara Minga as Chairman, has sponsored the following school-wide programs:

Home Night
LASN Basketball League Membership
Christmas Card Sale
Christmas Party
Winter Formal
Halloween Party
Talk by "Mad Hatter"
Rummage Sale

"Mad Hatter" and Rita Jo Neary

Rummage Sale

Lawrence Bernard
Sponsor

Anita Canter
President

Ellen Beach
Secretary

Lillian Barre
Treasurer

Frances Lacascio
State Vice-President

L.A.S.N.

In 1950, the Louisiana Association of Student Nurses became a reality. Since that year it has grown into an organization which plays a major part in the activities of many student nurses.

In the New Orleans District, the association has brought together students from the various schools. It has helped to maintain the high ideals of the organization and has assisted the students in understanding and preparing to become members of the Graduate Associations.

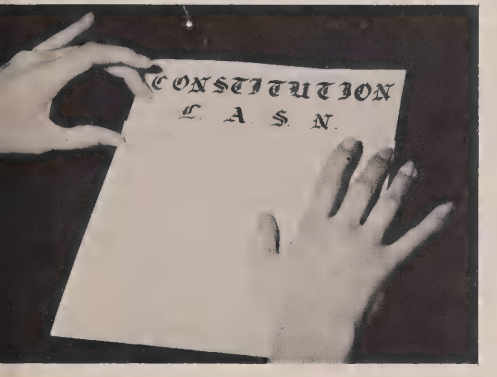
During the 1954-55 period the District President was Miss Anita Canter, District Vice-President, Miss Ellen Beach; and District Treasurer, Mrs. Lillian Barre. During their term of office, Charity's membership rose to the highest in its history. Also, the members joined in the various activities of the year, the most outstanding being the "Basketball Tournament."

For the 1955-56 period Miss Francis Lacascio was elected State Vice-President.

Charity is one of the few schools to have its own local organization. The achievements of the association have had great assistance from Miss Lawrence Bernard who has been the advisor this year.

L. A. S. N. ACTIVITIES 1954-55

Local L. A. S. N. Group



Delegates to Student Nurses' National Convention in St. Louis

Pat Greenan
receiving trophy as
"Most Outstanding Player"
in
L. A. S. N.
Basketball Tournament

Mrs. Reginia Walker
Director

Rebecca Dickinson
President

Merwyn Matthews
Treasurer

Mattie English
Secretary-Librarian

GLEE CLUB

The activities of our Glee Club are as varied as the moods of the music they sing. Joyful peace is felt through their rendition of the great hymns; the Christmas spirit was spread at Charity through the musical presentation of the beautiful traditional story; the awakening of a new spring was most ably interpreted at the Spring Festival of Music.

As usual, the Glee Club has participated in many school activities during the year, and somehow found time for a performance with the city-wide Student Nurses' Glee Club.

The year was terminated with a banquet at the Court of Two Sisters, when the members tried to show in a small measure their great appreciation for the efforts of their capable and understanding director, Mrs. Regina Walker.

CHRISTMAS RECITAL

GLEE CLUB

B. Dickens
B. Burson
P. Andries
P. Martin
R. Kettenring
B. Tripp

J. Hanley
B. Vaughn
J. Williams
R. Carr
D. Turner
F. Lacascio

S. Harris
F. Dupre
J. Foret
L. Hebert
S. Foster
J. Gaspard

C. George
M. Allen
I. David
L. Regan
V. Newman
P. Ross

G. Veca
C. Sonnier
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D. Harris
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J. Kaler
L. Davis
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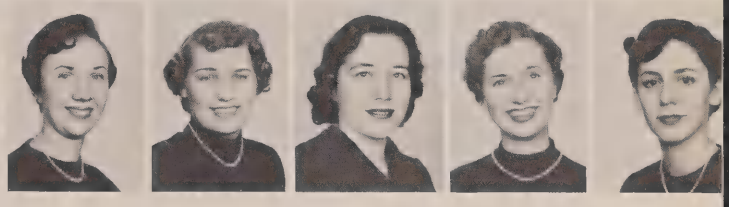


KUE KLUB

Marlene Smith
President

Ruth Kettenring
Vice-President

Winifred Witte
Secretary

EASTER 1955
"The Seamless Robe"

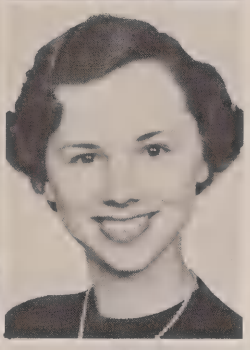
The Dramatic Club sponsored by Mrs. Hendershott is a school organization designed to derive for its members, recreation, sociability, self-expression, joy of creation, training for future public speaking, and to provide entertainment for the rest of the student body and patients. The name this year has been changed to Kue Klub. During the past year, it presented a Christmas and Easter program and various Dramatic Varieties.

CHRISTMAS 1954
"When the Little Angel Sang"

KUE KLUB

S. O'Neal
H. Wright

S. Monroe



A. Canter
H. Shoemaker

P. Vogel

D. Turner
M. Quirk

J. McCurdy

V. Veret
P. Crosby

J. Bonaventure

P. Greenan
A. Bunnell

R. Anzalone

ATHLETIC CLUB

Shirley Hebert

Pat Greenan-Captain

Joan Robichaux

Mildred Melancon

Marlyn Browning

Margaret Chutz
Coach

June Williams

Juanita Klein

JoAnne McGuire

Joan McCurdy

Joan Anderson

ATHLETIC CLUB

Basketball Team

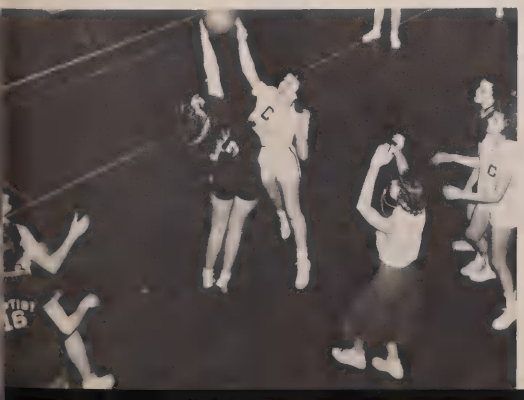
The Athletic Club members have enjoyed a most exciting and, at the same time, rewarding season. They, with five other Member Schools of the New Orleans District of the L.A.S.N. participated in a Basketball Tournament under the auspices of the Y.W.C.A.

From the start the Charity Chariettes showed great promise. Baptist School of Nursing proved to be the leading competitor, and at the conclusion of a wonderful season our Chariettes emerged victorious winners. They were awarded the coveted trophy for their victory.

The overtones of an eventful season were added when Miss Pat Grennan, Captain, was presented with an indivdual Trophy for being judged the "Best All-Around Player" in the league.

The Chariettes also played in the city-wide Basketball Tournament. They placed second, being defeated by the New Orleans All-Stars.

Charity vs. Baptist



Cathy Lee
"New Orleans Most Outstanding Player"

Miss Cathy Lee received the Trophy for the "Most Outstanding Player".

The enthusiasm which characterized the basketball team was also displayed by all club members on the hospital court as they tried their skills in such games as tennis, volleyball, badminton, and softball.

Adding to the spirit of the basketball season and yelling our team to victory, were our Charity Cheerleaders pictured below.

Cheerleaders

Miss Stella O'Connor
Sponsor

Barbara Tripp
President

Shirley Payne
Vice-President

Janet Hanley
Secretary-
Treasurer

Jeanette Sutter

SIGMA ALPHA CHI

Sigma Alpha Chi may be thought of as a goal to be striven for and, once reached, a standard to be maintained. It is a local Honorary Nursing Sorority organized at Charity in 1938. The privilege of membership is granted only to students in their junior and senior years who have maintained an outstanding scholastic average, shown marked ability in practical work, and who have good moral character and commendable spirit.

The organization serves the school in many ways being ever ready to lend a helping hand. This year Sigma Alpha Chi sponsored an educational trip to the United States Public Health Hospital at Carville.

Marjorie Zernott

Barbara Minga

Penny Martin

Beulah Creel

Sylvia O'Neal

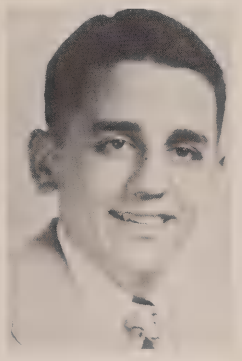
Virginia Vanderdray

Ellen Beach

Patricia Andries

Hertha Shoemaker

NEWMAN CLUB



George Mowad
President

Newman Group

The Newman Club, a Catholic Organization, has a membership of L. S. U. medical students and Charity students. Monthly meetings held in the nurses' home consist of discussions on various medical and ethical problems followed by informal get-togethers.

The Newman Club succeeded in interesting outstanding Catholic Physicians to address the group. Included in the activities of this year's group were Communion Breakfasts and a Dance.

Protestant Chapel on Monday Night

PROTESTANT GROUP

The goal of the Protestant Group is not only to enrich the spiritual life of the Christian but also to bring others to the saving knowledge of Jesus Christ.

The outstanding activities of the group include Protestant Chapel which is held on Monday nights in the hospital chapel. The sponsors of this group are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Leininger, who are affectionately known as Uncle Ray and Auntie June.

Auntie June and Uncle Ray

Bible Study

Bible Study which was originated by the students is conducted by students each week in the rooms of the dormitory. The group also edits a weekly bulletin.

The missionary emphasis is strong in the group. This is evidenced by the fact that the Protestant Chapel group helps to support Joyce Coke who is a Charity graduate now serving as a missionary in Africa.

Sponsor: Sister Urban

Sodality Group

Bea Chiniche
President

SODALITY

Carolyn Vlaming
Vice-President

"Children of Mary" is a title deeply loved by the members of this organization, since it depicts their relationship with "Mary, the Mother of Jesus and our Mother."

As members of the Sodality, the Catholic students strive for an increase of personal holiness by imitating the virtues of purity, obedience, and courage of their Heavenly Mother.

Devotional exercises in honor of the Blessed Virgin, animated lectures of her life, and discussions on various pious practices conducted by guest speakers, attendance at Marian Mass, and the Annual Retreat are the many functions in which the Sodality participated.

Climaxing both the Annual Retreat and the Marian Year Closing was the Animated Rosary which will long live in the hearts of each Sodalist as the fitting tribute to their Queen of the Marian Year!

Betty LeBlanc
Secretary

LIBRARY CLUB: Joyce Bonaventure, Patricia Mullins, Sandy Miller, Charlene Amis, Sally St. Cyr, Freddie Witte, and Nell Bowen.

A Junior Library Club was organized during the past year to assist the librarians with the general library work and for the members self improvement in the use of the library facilities.

Besides the activities within the library the members have outside cultural activities such as trips to the Delgado Museum and to old plantation homes on the River Road.

JUNIOR LIBRARIAN CLUB

GREAT BOOKS DISCUSSION

Mrs. Beatricia Ford (center), Librarian, leads a Great Books Discussion with, SEATED LEFT TO RIGHT: Lee Regan, Nell Bowen, Freddie White, Careen O'Brien, Joyce Bonaventure, Jewel Nobles. STANDING: Betty White, Sandra Miller, Juanita Dukes, Charlene Amis, Marlene Chiasson, Patricia Mullens and Sally St. Cyr.

Mrs. Beatricia Ford
Sponsor

In January the Great Books Discussion Group was formed under the leadership of Mrs. Beatricia Ford. Its purpose is to read and discuss the outstanding literary works of all ages.

GERMAN CLASS

Sprechen Sie Deutsch?

Student nurses are eager to broaden their cultural background as was evidenced by the request for a class in German.

The eager beavers, Misses Annie Laurie Jackson, Freddie Witte, Nell Bowen, Ruth Prejean, Beverly Bertin, and Sandra Lee Miller (not shown) asked their Librarian to share with them her knowledge in this field of learning.

Among the various activities at Charity, Bridge enthusiasts have enjoyed the opportunity of attending Bridge Classes. The class, sponsored by Mrs. Hendershott, is for beginners and advanced players alike.

The agenda consists of teaching the various rules and regulations of playing. After each session active bridge games take place. Plans for the future include a bridge tournament.

BRIDGE CLASS

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Jerri Nichols
Editor

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Betty Jo Buie
Reporter

At 450 S. Claiborne Av merit slips are passed for room disorders. The time for young ladies and future R.N.'s to learn to live neatly, orderly and harmoniously has pass diso

Rita Jo Neary
Reporter

in the type of music being played on our radio st as happened to the soft, gs of yesterday?

Be-bop, Cat and Mambo!! These types

Shirley Harris
Reporter

Peace Be Unto You

The Lamb of God, Who sacrificed Himself as a Divine Victim for our sins, offers the greatest proof of His divinity in His glorious resurrection from the dead on Easter Sunday.

Yet the miracle of the Resurrection is also a symbol of hope and faith to all mankind. There are times during life when man's faith may be shaken and when the light of hope may grow dim within his breast. But ever and anew the glory of the Easter Resurrection gives a rebirth to the human spirit. For those of us who may be racked and bound by the chains of pain, or grieved by disappointments and sorrow, the Victorious Risen Christ stands as a beacon for the virtues of renewed faith and hope. His death gives us a confidence to roll sadness, grief, or the knowledge that orld will soon pass prelude to another edge he who loves ses something of world. And those the peace of God n conformity with too, share in the of victory ove eace of eternal life s gateway waits the Prince of Peace Who, on that day, perhaps, with the words of "peace be unto you," ward

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Reporter

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Mitzie Taggart
Reporter

Honore Wright
Reporter

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Staff at Work

WHITE CAP

The "White Cap" is the official newspaper of the Charity Hospital School of Nursing.

Up-to-date news being its most important goal, our own "White Cap" has brought another year of excellent journalism to the students concerning their profession, activities, problems, news events and entertainment.

Under the editorship of Miss Jerri Nichols and the assistant editorship of Miss Nell Domangue, and with the help of its numerous staff, the paper has grown and has increased its circulation.

The "White Cap" initiated a new feature this past year, "The Alumnae Page." The facts and where abouts of past fellow students has stimulated interest and enjoyment among all who read and contribute toward the support and publishment of this paper.

Anita Canter
Editor

Mrs. Hendershott
Sponsor

Ruth Kettenring
Business Manager

CAPS AND CAPES

We, the 1954-55 "Caps and Capes" Staff, have edited an annual based on a subject near and dear to all nurses. "HANDS"

Hands, usually taken so much for granted, have been portrayed in every action so that you readers may realize their importance. We hope you will enjoy our efforts.

We, the staff, wish to extend our thanks to Mrs. Hendershott for the guidance and help she has given us in the publication of this annual.

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Miss Charity Hospital of 1955, Barbara Minga, personifies the modern Florence Nightingale during the October observance of Florence Nightingale's 100th anniversary of service to the sick and wounded in the Crimea.

MISS CHARITY HOSPITAL 1955 BARBARA MINGA

Dr. E. L. Leckert, Director of Charity Hospital, congratulating Barbara Minga.

Sister Margaret, Director of Sisters' Divisions, Charity, commends "Miss Charity Hospital."

In observance of NATIONAL NURSE WEEK, October 11 through 16, Charity Hospital School of Nursing announced the selection of:

MISS CHARITY HOSPITAL OF 1955
BARBARA MINGA

Miss Minga is the president of the student body of the Charity Hospital School of Nursing. She is a member of Sigma Alpha Chi, honorary sorority, and has held several offices on the student council and in her class. In Charity Hospital School of Nursing's Popularity Contest she was voted "Most Likely to Succeed" and "Most Popular." In recognition of her achievement as "Miss Charity Hospital", ideal and representative student nurse, Miss Minga received a Certificate of Merit from the City of New Orleans and a key to the city.

During NATIONAL NURSE WEEK, "Miss Charity Hospital of 1955" was honored at several activities, and visited many schools in New Orleans to encourage High School graduates to enter the field of Nursing.

Barbara Minga receives a Certificate of Merit and a key to the city from Councilman Victor H. Schiro on her achievement of Miss Charity Hospital of 1955 - ideal and representative student nurse.

Besides high school visits during National Nurse Week, Barbara Minga - Miss Charity Hospital of 1955 - was hostess at Charity Hospital School of Nursing's Open House Tuesday, October 12, 1954. She was assisted by Student Council officers, Seniors, Juniors and Pre-clinicals. Pictured with her are Marilyn Dunlap pouring (Barbara center) and senior student, Anita Canter. Others in the picture are high school students

LEFT: Barbara Minga, Miss Charity Hospital of 1955, orders her favorite dishes at a banquet climaxing National Nurse Week. RIGHT: Miss Christine Causey, honored during the same week, as the outstanding Graduate Nurse in Louisiana.

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Diamond Paper Company
Dixie Lumber Company, Inc.
Faherty Sales Company
Graduate Supply House
Hayes Dairy Products, Inc.
Mrs. C.C. Henson
Institutional Supply Company
Kramer's Foam and Fabric Center
Loubat Glassware & Cork Company, Ltd.
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Twin Oaks
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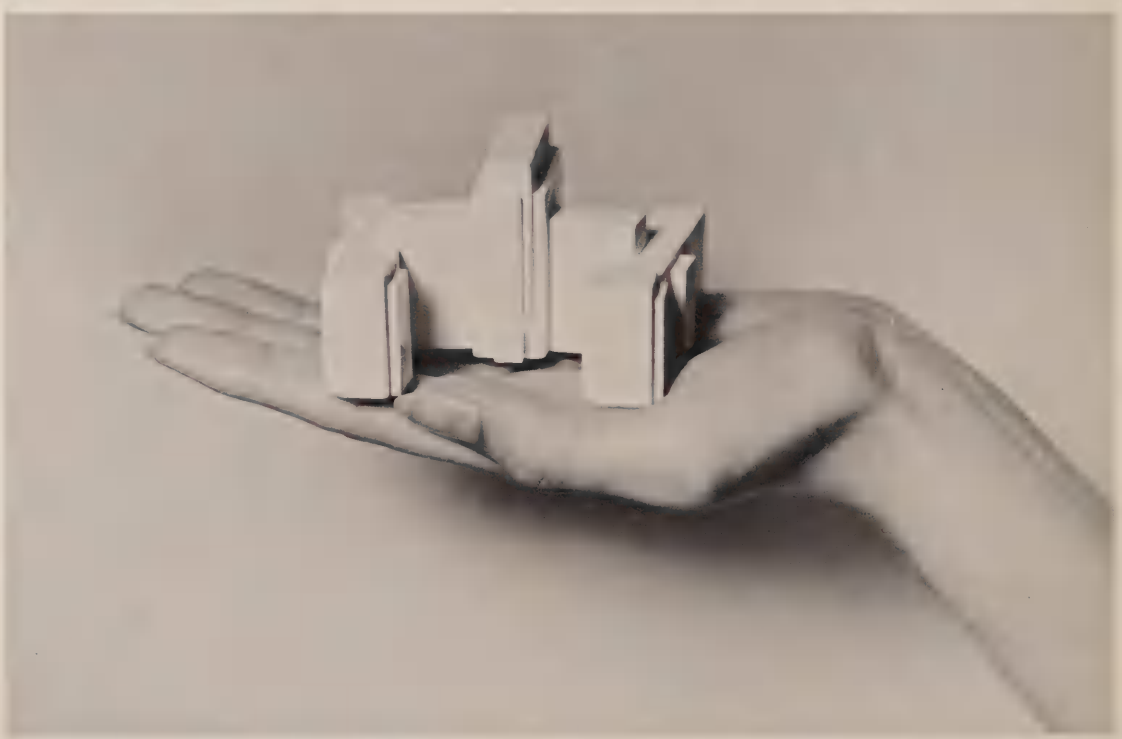

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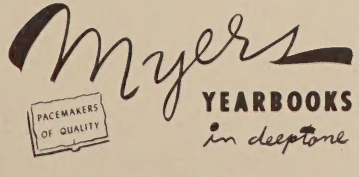
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